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Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 ThereunderREPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/08 AND ENDING 12/31/08
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Forest Securities, Inc.

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ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

FIRM I.D. NO.

7085 N.W. 100th Street

(No. and Street)

Grimes

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50111

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

Kathryn A. Thieleke

(515) 986-4498

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Dunleavy & Company, P.C.

(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

13116 South Western Avenue, Blue Island, Illinois 60406

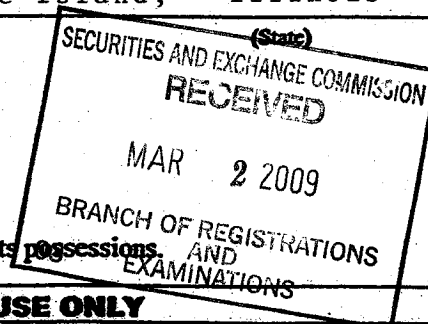
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CHECK ONE:

☒ Certified Public Accountant☐ Public Accountant☐ Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions

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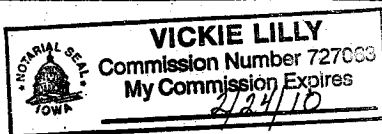
*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)

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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Douglas L. Thieleke, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Forest Securities, Inc., as of December 31, 2008, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

NONE



Douglas L. Thieleke
Signature

President
Title

Vickie Lilly
Notary Public

This report ** contains (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ (a) Facing Page.
- ☒ (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- ☒ (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- ☒ (d) Statement of ~~Cash Flows~~ Cash Flows.
- ☒ (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
- ☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- ☒ (g) Computation of Net Capital.
- ☐ (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-3 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.
- ☒ (l) An Oath or Affirmation.
- ☐ (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- ☒ (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

**For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

FOREST SECURITIES, INC.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

DECEMBER 31, 2008

DUNLEAVY & COMPANY, P.C.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
13116 SOUTH WESTERN AVENUE
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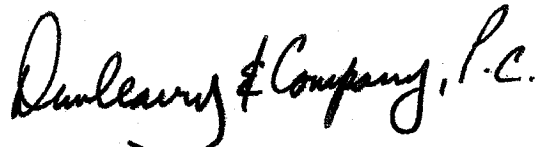
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors
Forest Securities, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Forest Securities, Inc. as of December 31, 2008 that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to attain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Forest Securities, Inc. as of December 31, 2008, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.



DUNLEAVY & COMPANY, P. C.
Certified Public Accountants

Blue Island, Illinois
January 28, 2009

FOREST SECURITIES, INC.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2008

ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,390
Receivable from broker/dealers	3,597
Securities owned at market value	16,867
Furniture and equipment at cost, net of \$58,502 accumulated depreciation	1,965
Other assets	<u>1,200</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 29,019</u>

LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

LIABILITIES

Accounts payable and accrued expenses	<u>\$ 4,668</u>
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SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

Common stock, no par value; authorized 1,000,000 shares; issued and outstanding 1,000 shares	\$ 1,000
Additional paid-in capital	17,500
Retained earnings	<u>5,851</u>

Total Shareholders' Equity	<u>\$ 24,351</u>
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	<u>\$ 29,019</u>
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

FOREST SECURITIES, INC.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

NOTE 1 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization - The Company was incorporated in the state of Iowa on June 16, 1992. The Company is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA). The Company's principal business activity is the purchase and sale of securities.

Securities Transactions - Securities transactions are recorded on a trade date basis. Marketable securities are valued at market value. The resulting difference between cost and market value is included in income.

Cash Equivalents - Cash equivalents are defined as certificates of deposit and U.S. government obligations with a maturity date of less than 90 days, when acquired by the Company, and those securities registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 which are comprised of cash and other short-term debt instruments and are commonly referred to as "money market funds."

Depreciation - Depreciation of furniture and equipment is computed using straight line and accelerated methods over 5 and 7 year periods.

Deferred Income Taxes - Deferred income taxes are provided primarily due to the utilization of different depreciation methods for book and income tax purposes and the reporting of income and expense on the cash basis for income tax purposes.

Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

FOREST SECURITIES, INC.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

NOTE 2 - NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

As a registered broker/dealer and member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, the Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregated indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 1500%. At December 31, 2008 the Company's net capital and required net capital were \$18,657 and \$5,000 respectively. The ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 25%.

NOTE 3 - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Other assets of \$1,200 consists of a security deposit for office space which shareholders of the Company have leased to the Company. The expense incurred relating to this lease for the year ended December 31, 2008 was \$17,700. The lease is on a month to month basis.

NOTE 4 - NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARD

The Company has yet unused a capital loss carryforward of \$3,706 which begins to expire January 1, 2013.

NOTE 5 - SECURITIES OWNED

Marketable securities owned consist entirely of equity securities at quoted market values.

NOTE 6 - CLEARING AGREEMENT WITH OFF-BALANCE-SHEET RISK

The Company has entered into an agreement with another broker/dealer (Clearing Broker/dealer) whereby the Company forwards (introduces) customer securities transactions to the Clearing Broker/dealer, fully disclosing the customer name and other information. The processing and, if applicable, any

FOREST SECURITIES, INC.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

NOTE 6 - CLEARING AGREEMENT WITH OFF-BALANCE-SHEET RISK - *(Continued)*

financing pertaining to the introduced securities transactions is performed by the Clearing Broker/dealer. The customer account is therefore maintained and recorded in the books and records of the Clearing Broker/dealer on the Company's behalf. In consideration for introducing customers to the Clearing Broker/dealer, the Company receives commissions and other consideration, less the processing and other charges of the Clearing Broker/dealer. The agreement prohibits the Company from entering into a similar agreement with another broker/dealer except with respect to transactions not covered by this agreement or accounts rejected by the Clearing Broker/dealer. The Company is required to have \$50,000 in cash and/or securities on deposit with the Clearing Broker/dealer to assure the Company's performance under the agreement.

Additional provisions of the agreement state that the Company is to be held responsible for any losses arising when the customers introduced by the Company to the Clearing Broker/dealer fail to meet their contractual commitments pertaining to the purchase, sale and possible financing of securities transactions. The Company may therefore be exposed to off-balance-sheet risk in the event the customer is unable to fulfill its contracted obligations and it is necessary for the Clearing Broker/dealer to purchase or sell the securities at a loss. The Company's exposure to risk would consist of the amount of the loss realized and any additional expenses incurred pertaining to the transaction or other customer activity.